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Dear Mr. Sanchez:

The California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA), Office of Emergency Services, Office of the State Fire Marshal, and Department of Toxic Substances Control conducted a program evaluation of the Orange County Health Care Agency Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) on March 13 and 14, 2007. The evaluation consisted of a review of program elements, an in-office program review, and a field oversight inspection by State evaluators. The evaluators completed a Certified Unified Program Agency Evaluation Summary of Findings with your agency's program management staff. The Summary of Findings includes identified deficiencies, a list of preliminary corrective actions, program observations, program recommendations, and examples of outstanding program implementation.

Cal/EPA has received documentation of corrective actions taken by Orange County Health Care Agency for the deficiencies found during the evaluation process. After reviewing the Evaluation Summary of Findings and the documentation of corrective actions, Cal/EPA finds that all deficiencies noted in the Evaluation Summary of Findings have been corrected.

Cal/EPA appreciates the actions taken by Orange County Health Care Agency. Based on these corrections, Cal/EPA has modified Orange County Health Care Agency's rating on the evaluation from satisfactory with some improvement needed to meets program performance standards.

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Thank you for your continued commitment to the protection of public health and the environment. If you have any questions or need further assistance, you may contact Jim Bohon, Manager, Cal/EPA Unified Program at (916) 327-5097 or jbohon@calepa.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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